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-The German steamer WINTER, Master, expected from the above port, on SATURDAY Next, the 25th instant, at 5 p.m.

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Members wishing to play in the MATCH will kindly send in their manies to the Undemigned who will also be glad to receive the names of any gentlemen wishing to become Members of the Club. J. ROSS ANTON Hone Treasurer,

Hongkong September 28, 1869. 4 / 1002 NOTICE. A E have authorized Mr. Houstaster COOVERSEN to sign our Firm from this day in China. CAWASJEE PALLANJEE & Co.

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ILLUMINATIONS TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL

And other DECORATIONS For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURCH.

HE Undersigned is now prepared execute orders for the above. A information in reference thereto, can be obtained from

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JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist &c. Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

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Hongkong, August 26, 1869

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MONDAY,

the 27th instant, al Noon,-The whole of the Household FURN URE, comprising Tables, Chairs, Couches, Bedsteads, Lamps, Pictures, Chimney and Cheval Glasses, Crockery and Glasswares Books (by English and German authors.)

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PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY. the 27th September, 1869, at 11 o'clock

That Piece or Parcel of LAND with Owelling House standing thereon, situate in Peel Street and Registered in the Land Office as Section A of Inland Lot I the Lith September 1860 at 10 oc. No. 174

Crown Rent, \$38 per annum. TERMS OF SALE -One-third of the pur- TRADE, comprising :chase money to be prid on fall of the hammer, and the remainder on completion of Transfer.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from E. L. EE FERRE, Esq. to sell by Public Auction, at the Office of the Tudor Company, Ice House St.,

TUESDAY. 5th October, 1869, at 2 o'clock P.M.,-The whole of his Household FURNI TURE, comprising Iron Bedstead Bombay Centre Table, Dressing Table Sofa, Couches, Mirrors, Lamps, a valuable collection of Chromolithographs Engravings, Photographs, Books, Rifles

Catalogues will be issued in a few day TERMS OF SALK - Cash before deliver Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. MORRIS & Co.

Hongkong, September 23, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at Noon, on WEDNESDAY

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Curtains, Books and Book Case Bagatelle Table. Teak Dining Table and Sideboard, on Morocco Covered Dining and Arm Chairs in Mahogany, handsome Dinner the 28th September, 1869, at Noon-Toyssonneaux FRUITS, the Juice and Side Dishes, Glassware, Punkah and Ice NITURE, comprising Chests a set of Silver Table Ware.

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J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, September 20, 1869, oc13

RECEAST ENGLISH AND CANTON-MADE FURNITURE, CHOICE wint size WINES, Etgaa lo mon

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Hongkong, September 13, 1869. THE Undersigned has received The structions to sell by Public Auction

FRIDAY.

rays, their entire STOCK-IN Oilman's Stores, Hardware, Fairbank's Scales, Canvas, Rope, Sheet Copper Boiler and Stem Plates, Yellow Metal Hongkong, September 20, 1869. se27 and Nails, Plated Ware, Crockery and

Glassware, Lanterns, Office Furniture, Iron Safes, Store fixtures, one House Boat, with Awning, Corporation's Stock will fall due on the

Oars, etc., complete. TERMS OF SALE. — Cash before delivery in Mexicun Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 14, 1869, se24 HE Undersigned has received instruc tions from the Mortgagee to sell

Public Auction, on the 27th day of September, 1869, Noon, on the Premises, under the powers of sale contained in the Deed of Mort-

INLAND LOTS Nos. 560, 561 and 562 with the CHINESE HOUSES thereon, situate in Bonham Strand, exactly opposite to

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TERMS OF SALE -- One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by the purchaser Property to be at the risk of the pur-

122010 Auctioneer Hongkong, September 14, 1869. se2 HOME-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

HE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., No. 4 Elgin Terrace,

TUESDAY,

A handsome Bedroom Snit, Leather Marble Top Dressing Tables & Wash- Covered Chairs, Rep Covered Couches, stands in Mahogany, Cheval Glass, Bed- Marble Top Tables and Teapoys, Oil steads, Wardrobes, Oak Escritoire, Toilet Paintings and Engravings, Pier Glass, Mirrors, Tables, etc. Birds and Bide Board, Whatnots, Black Walnut Brood Fowls in Coop, Birds and Dining Table, Dinner Set, Silver, Bide Board, Whatnots, Black Walnut Cages, Flower Pots with Choice Plants. Electro Plate and Glassware, Lamps, Exchange business transacted.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery

Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 15, 1869, pe28



HER Majesty's Vessel RIFLEMAN and the Gun Boats WEAZEL and BUSTARD will be sold by Auction at the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on THURSDAY,

the 18th November, 1869. The following are the particulars :-all her Maste and Vards, one suit of and Bracket Lamps Morocco covered sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Davita, Stanchiona, etc. The Boilers (2 in no.) are good ; but the Engines require repair to or regular and at the and the

Weazel." 235 Tons, 60 Horse Power. The Engines are in good working order.—The Boilers (3 in no.) are unfit for high pressure. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, one Downton's Pump ; but

no Masts, Yards or Sails, Bustard," 234 Tone, 60 Horse Power. -The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3 in no.) are considerably worn but repairable. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awnings, Downton's Pump and Firehearth; but oo Masta Yards or Sails.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to the Undersigned. ALFD. H. PRICE,

Naval Storekeeper NAVAL YARD. Hongkong, August 28, 1869.

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HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS: THE DIVIDEND declared for the balf year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$20 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to appl

VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 16, 1869,

By deter of the Court of Pressors

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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Office is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the

dates following, viz :-On 1st July, 1869, \$25 1st July, 1870, 1st Jan., 1872, 1st Jan., 1873, . 25

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office

and Branches. By Order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

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FOR MANILA. The Spanish barque "MARIA ROZARIO," AURTENBOHE, Master, will have quick dispatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

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FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British ship

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. FOR NEW YORK. The American ship

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Hongkong, September 14, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American barque "GALVESTON,"

Hongkong, September 3, 1869. FOR NEW YORK, The North German Barque "DOCTOR PETERMANN." FREDERIORS, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo

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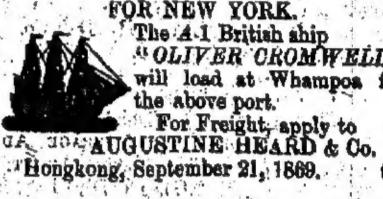
O. S. S. COY. STRAMER "TYCHO BRAHE," FROM LIVERPOOL ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer, due here about the 24th instant, are hereby informed that the same will be landed and stored at their risk. according to the clause in the Bills of Leding, in the Godown situated under Messrs

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, September 16, 1869.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-sel will be landed and stored at Consigneer

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East Point, September 17, 1869. D. K. MOORE, Master, will

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Hongkong, August 18, 1869.

For Freight, apply to

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risk and expense. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, September 20, 1869,

September.

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Principal Agent.
Hithickoug, August 28, 1869...

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RIJUHN CHARLES RIDGE is authorized to mign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow, from this date. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1869.

NOTICE HEa interest and responsibility of the late Mr HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm conged on the 30th June last; and Mr MORTIMBE EVELYN MURRAY WAS admitted a partner therein on 1st July. MARGESSUN & Co. Hongkong, August 2, 1869.

NOTICE. MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author-ised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1869. NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PURIO ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. NOTICE. IN/E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDI To sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

NOTICE. I HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR BIID Mr THOMAS LAN-CASTER LABKEN. WILLIAM BAUFOUR KINNEAR Foochow, May 1, 1869.

R LEDNHARD STARL has been admitted IVI a Partner in our Firm from this date. HESSE & Co. Hougkong, July 1, 1869.

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S. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, September 9, 1869.

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(Quite New). Length over all. of Keel, Beam Deoth. Hardwood Timbers, planked with Ameri-

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The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given) unless previously disposed of by private

For further particulars, apply to MESSES SMITH, AKCHER & Co., HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq.,

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869. FOR SALE, TRESH Californian HAY and OATS. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

FOR SALE. ULES ROBIN COGNAC, in cases. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

# New Advertisements.

MR. FRANZ ENGEL

EGS to notify the Community of Hong-D kong that he has established himself as Teacher of the PIANO, HARMONIUM. VIOLIN and ALL WIND INSTRUments. Mr. Engel has been for many years

Bandmaster in the Austrian Service, and is well qualified as a Teacher and Performer. INSTRUMENTS TUNED AND REPAIRED. Parties desiring to learn terms will please

address to care of Messrs Schmidt & Co., Guniuakers, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, September 8, 1869.

EITHER Captain HARTMANN nor the Undersigned will be Responsible for any. Debts contracted by the Crew of the North-German barque "Jenny." MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, September 9, 1869.

MEITHER the Captain or Agents of the British Barque "KILLARNEY will be RESPONSIBLE for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the said Vessel, BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

NOTICE,

DENT & Co.'s ESTATE, THIRD DIVIDEND of Seven per centum upon the amount of all Claims admitted by the Trustees will be paid on the 25th September next. On application at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with warrants signed by the

Trustees which will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

NOTICE. LL persons Indebted to THOMAS JAMES RECORD, late Moulder in Her Majesy's Naval Dock Yard, are requested to pay the Amount forthwith. Persons Claims against him are required to send particulars of their claims on or before the 30th day of September, 1869, after which date no claims will be received or admitted. D. ILLINGWORTH,

West Point Foundry. Hongkong, August 81, 1869.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

HE Market Circulars, prepared by the CHAMBER, will in future be issued late on the afternoon of the day preceding the departures of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requested to send for their copies between the hours of 4 P. M. and midnight.

J. W. WOOD,

Secretary. Club Chambers, Hongkong, July 20, 1869.

FREDERIC DEGENAER.

Hongkong, September 23, 1869,

# New Advertisements.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB

Committee The Hon. J. B. TAYLOB, Chairman, R. F. HAWKE, Kaq. W. H. FOSTER, Esq. T. G. LINSTRAD, Esq. JOHN FAIRBAIRN, Esq.

E. L. WOODIN, Esq. WILLIAM LEGGE, Esq., Hon. Secretary. PROGRAMME OF THE 16th ANNUAL MENTING. 1869.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1869. FIRST RACK -- 1 P.M. For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance 1 mile. Prize \$50.00. To be competed for by men who have never won a sculling race in China or Elsewhere. Entrance fee, Not exceeding 10 days | per cent.

OND RACE. -1.30 P.M. For Boats pulled by Non-Commissioned Officers and men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance 1 mile. Prizes : 1st Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$10. Time for Oars. Entrance fee \$1.00. Officers may officiate as coxswains if necessary.

THIRD RACE. -2,30 P.M. For Four-Oared Canton Cutters Distance 1 mile anda-half. Prize the Chairman's Cuo. value \$250. Entrance fee, \$10.00. FOURTH RACE, -3 P.M. For Men-of-war Gigs. Distance 1 mile. Prizes : lat Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$10.00. Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F. Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday, 22nd November. Entrance fee, \$1.00. FIFTH RADE, -3.30 P.M. For Pair Oars

and 2 Pair Soulling Boats: Distance 1 mile. Prize, the "American Cup." Value Entrance fee, \$5.00. XTH RACE .- 4 P.M. For House Boats pulled by Chinamen. Distance Imile. Prizes: lat Boat, \$15.00; 2nd, \$5.00. Entrance fee, \$1.00.

SEVENTH RACE. 4.30 P.M. For Four Oared Canton Cutters, Distance I mile. Prize, "Ladies' Purse," presented by the Ladies of Hongkong. Winners of Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$10.00. EIGHTH RACE .- 5 P.M. For Canoes, Dis-

tance | mile. Ist Prize \$50.00 ; 2nd \$20.00; 3rd \$10.00. No fouling al-AILING RACE. - For all Open Boats, Chinese excepted. First Boat, \$25.00; second. \$10.00. Course to be specified here-

after. Entrance, \$2. HARBOUR VACHT RACE .- For all Yachts Particulars of course, do to be name hereafter.

SECOND DAY, THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1869. FIRST RACE .-- 1 P.M. For Men-of-war Cutters. Distance 1 mile. First Boat. \$20.00; 2nd, \$10.00. Entrance fee, \$1.00. Entries received by R. F. Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 22nd Nov.

SECOND RACE. - 1.30 P.M. For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance I mile. Prize, Entrance fee, \$5.00. THIRD RACE .- 2.30 P.M. For Four Oared Canton Cutters. Distance 11 mile. Prize, the "Jinkee Cup." Value, \$150.00: Presented by a Subscriber.

Entrance fee, \$10.00. FOURTH RACE. - 3 P.M. For all Boats manned by Europeans. Distance 1 mile. First Boat, \$20.00; 2nd, \$10.00, - Time for Cars. Entries receive Secretary until noon on Moz Nov. Entrance foe, \$1,00.

FTH RACE. - 3.30 P.M. For Boats pulled by Non-Commissioned Officers or Men of any Corps in Garrison. Distance 1 mile. Time for oars. Prizes: 1st Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$5. Winners of No. 2. First day, excluded. Entrance fee,

SIXTH RACE. - 4 P.M. For Four-Oard Canton Cutters. Distance 1 mile. Prize \_\_\_ Entrance fee, \$10. For men who have never pulled in a winning boat at any previous regatta. SEVENTH RACE -4.30 P.M. Canoe Scramble. Bumping allowed. Distance t of a mile. Entrance fee, \$2. 1st Prize \$30.00; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$5.00. SAILING RACE for Schooners and Cutters,

Full particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be duly announced. The above programme is subject to any changes the Committee may see necessary make. Weights, Colours, and names of each Crew for presentation prizes for Rowing

must be stated on entering boats: All entries (not otherwise specified) mus be made to the Hon. Secretary on or before the 15th November, 1869. The races will commence each day at 1 P.M., and Tiffin will take place on board the Flag Ship each day after the Second Race. WILLIAM LEGGE,

Hon. Sec. V. R. C. Hongkong, August 24, 1869.



UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR LADY MACDONNELL,

Mr. W. P. FLOYD

DEGS to announce that he has Re-opened bis PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY at the corner of Wyndham and Wellington Streets, where he solicits the inspection of

Life size Photographic Portraits in Water Colors or Oil. Hongkong, August 7, 1869.



CONSULAR NOTIFICATION. instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Tsewants and Takow, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul. WM. M. COOPER.

BRITISH CONSULATE, Tuewanfu, June 15, 1869.

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The "China Mail" Office, 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong. New Advertisements. NOTICE.

DOYAL INSURANCE COMPANY The Annual Rates for FIRE INSURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their HAVE BEGEIVED RY MAIL STEAMER. contents will remain se follows, until further notice, vis. — Detached and semi-detached

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The full Annual Rate of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, Reptember 13, 1869. UNION INSURANCE SCOLETY OF

Above Six Months,

CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS MIOTICE is hereby given that the Ordi nary Half-Yearly MEETING of the Shareholders of this Society will be held at the Head Office, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 4th day of October proximo, at Three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 80th June

By Order of the Board of Directors. ROB. WATMORE, Secretary. Hongkong, September 10, 1869.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTIOE:

THE Transfer Books of the Society will L : be Closed from the 20th day of September to the 4th day of October 1869 both days included, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By order of the Board of Directors, ROB. WATMORE,

Secretary. Hongkong, September 10, 1869. THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. SHORT PERIOD RATES.

'HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at the rate of ath of the annual charge, viz : ath per cent for any term, not exceeding ten days. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, August 28, 1869.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept risks in the above Company for c period of Ten Days on Merchandize stored in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one per cent.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

THE Undersigned are now prepared Land and Store GOODS on the Premises lately occupied by them as a Store. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 10, 1869,

NOTICE.

"STAG HOTEL. 11HIS Establishment having been entirely Refurnished and much improved. Visitors will now find it Replete with all

the Comforts of any Hotel in the Celestial WINES & SPIRITS. Being all imported by the Proprietor, are all of the best quality. The Billiard Room contains two of

HARRIS'S Patent Iron TABLES. TOE CREAM DRINKS-ICE CREAM DRINKS -of all descriptions from 11 A.M. till 9

J. B. WATSON, Proprietor.

### Hongkong, August 13, 1869. OCCIDENTAL HOTEL SAN FRANCISCO.

CALIFORNIA. HE Occidental Hotel having been re-

cently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appoint-Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and

Hongkong, April 13, 1869. I OTEL DE FRANCE CANTON. Service comfortable, prix modérée.

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Shanghai, January, 1867.

FOR SALE. AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE

THE following SETS of the "OHINA PUNUH" can be obtained, stitched in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz :--

11 sets complete from 11. Also a few separate copies of Nos.1, 2, S, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24, C. A. SAINT.

# LATEST SHIPPING.

DEPARTURES

Sept. 23, Rodney, for England. CLEARED. Gauntlet, for Whampoa. Western Star, for Singapore. Nouvelle Pallas, for Saigon.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SHANGHAE.

the 25th instant, at 4,30 P.M. UNDER DESPATCH. For Shangbae. - Per str. China, on Saturday next, the 25th ibst., at 5 P.M.

Per Steamer CHINA, on Saturday next

CARGOES. From the Canton Customs Daily Returns. Summary of Imports and Exports passed

at the Canton River Steamer Office during the week ended 18th September. Imported per Kiu Kiang and Kinshan, from Hongkong: 997 bales Bengal Cotton. 294 bales Bombay Cotton.

25 bales Native Cotton. 278 bales Cotton Yarn. 49 slabs Tin. 141 chests Patna Opium. 43 casks and bales Ginseng 19 packages Elephant's Teeth. 75 packages Wax. 28 bales Nankeen.

79 bundles Mats.

18 baskets Prawns. 33 chests Tea. 100 pigs Lead 24 piculs Yellow Metal Sheathing. 108 cases and bales Cotton Goods. 57 cases and bales Woollen Goods. 109 packages Sundries.

Exported per Kin Kiang and Kinshan. to Hongkong :-1021 cases and bales Fine Silk. 71 cases Punjum. 56 bales Cocoons. 47 cases Silk Piece Goods. 6 cases Sashes and Tassels 167 tona (5881 picula) Casna. 105 packages China Ware. . 56 cases Glass Bangles. 13 boxes Glass Beads. 65 baskets Ginger (green) 25 rolls Matting. 150 cases Paper. 328 boxes Preserves. 32 tons Fire Crackers. 98 cases Rhubarb.

75 packages Tobacco.

900 picule Sandalwood,

1000 tubs Sugar Candy. 504 piculs Sugar. 16 packages Trunks. 51 tons Tea. 454 packages and parcels Sundries, Per Maria Elizabeth, cleared for Chefoo ! 140 cases Paper. 1000 bags Sugar. 206 pigs Lead. Re-exporta

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6 cases China Ware, 95 cases Straw Hate. 1115 rolls Matting. 5193 -chests Tea (re-export) Imported per Western Star, from Hong. 226 tons Coal. Summary of Imports and Exports passed

Imported from Hongkong :-

1338 bales and 167 baskets Cotton.

326 packages Dried and Salted Fish.

62 packages Liquorice. 186 bales and 144 picula Logs of Wood.

2218 bundles and 552 piece Iron Rods

131 pantages Cottle Fish. 400 pieces Elephant's Bones.

300 cases Window Glass

51 bales Goat's Hair.

2296 pieges Buffalos Hides. 30 bales Flower Seeds.

120 bales Mangrove Bark.

268 packages Medicine. 552 bales dried Mussels.

102 packages old Copper.

37 cases Copper Sheets ...

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32 packages Steel.

100 cases Barley Pearl.

42 bags Potatoe Flour.

7371 bags and 300 piouls Rice.

218 piculs and 45 pkgs. Sandalwood

172 piculs and 311 pkgs. Sapanwood. 112 baskets Vegetable Seeds.

12,606 piculs and 2400 bags Peas.

220 cases Tin Plates.

35 bales Nankeen.

278 bales Pepper.

80 piecas Planks.

6127 bundles Rattaus.

35 jars Samshoo.

411 bales Shark's Fins,

248 bundles Stock Fish.

53 packages Tobacco.

238 Empty Tubs.

203 bales Vermicalli

645 pieces Redwood.

34 bales Cardsmonis,

82 bales Fish Maws.

211 pieces Iron-ware.

275 packages Sundries.

Exported to Hongkong :-

85 bundles Straw Bara

162 packages Bamboo-ware.

74 bales Buffalos Bones.

104 bundles Paper Boxes,

44 packages Brass-ware.

716 Wooden Boxes.

41 packages Cakes.

91 packages Charcoal,

21 cases Red Dates.

20 cases salted Eggs.

4500 bundles Fire-wood.

82 pieces Furniture.

30 bales Galangal.

103 bales Garlio

87 Empty Jars.

12,618 bundles Mats.

48 tubs Iron Pans.

1052 cases Joss Sticks.

162 Dressing Cases.

90 packages China-ware.

66 packages Earthen-ware.

120 packages Fire Crackers.

43 packages Rice Flour.

277 baskets Green Ginger.

249 bundles Gunny Bags,

210 packages Marble Slabs.

62 jars Ground-nut Oil,

104 packages salted Olives. 71 cases dried Oysters.

6731 jars and 303 cases Pickles.

2126 cases and 102 jars Samshoo.

84 cases and 94 jars Soy.

65 cases Cotton Umbrella.

920 pieces and 47 packages Woodware.

363 packages Vegetables.

87 pieces Leather-ware.

30 packages Paper-ware.

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Hongkong, 23nd September, 1869.

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899 pieces and 450 bundles Planks.

82 cases and 91 baskets Preserves

158 packages Medicine.

248 packages Paper.

160 cases Starch.

911 bags Sugar.

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956 boxes Tea.

172 packages Tea.

45 jars Vinegar

30 sets Scales.

70 packages Potatoe Flour.

28 bales Cassia.

28 packages Biche-de-mer.

20 packages Yellow Metal Sheathing.

85 packages Broken Glass

33 Wooden Boxes.

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29 bage Flour.

80 baies Fungua.

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TO THE CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all tohis wisheld

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, SEPT. 23, 1869.

OUR FUTURE POLICE FORCE. THE shortcomings of every police force under British jurisdiction form so staple a subject of journalistic criticism, that it is scarcely to be wondereduct if there is a tendency in small colonies, where the IT is "passing strange" that despite all stirring public events of home life are that can be said or written not merely the subject. Still we do not think that

wise Government would willingly see | go of their cherished delusion as to the precise information wouchsefed by the official prints which enjoy the paternal care of other governments. Upon the have obtained the assent of the Chinese whole, the results of the freespoken criticism to which we allude are, even when its basis is incorrect or its reasoning in consenuent beneficial to the public. A department accused of faults of which it is guiltless, may learn to avoid giving the Russian Governmenta will be solicite grounds for a similar accusation being true. Defects, again, unnoticed by those familiar, with them, may be brought into notice, though the remedies proposed or even the reasons alleged for their existence may be wrong. We have not on the present occasion

any new charges to bring against the

nolice force of Hongkong. On the contrary, the expressed intention of the Government to augment the European portion of the force is generally approved though in one opinion it may be im to add to many already made, regarding the rank and file of that body. far distant, shall arrive when the Sikha are relegated to their native mountains. woods, and valleys, and Hongkong is released from the consequences of a well- site performer on the harp. meant, but not very successful, experiment..... Touching this question knowledge), we are informed very large proportion of the force are prepared to take their charges sot soon as the Government permits. Born! soldiers, these lengthy great dislike to the monotonous and unexciting life they are here compelled to live, and to the very few who can converse with them are frank in the avowal that they would like to get home again. It must not be overlooked that, no matter how docile and faithful, how efficient in carrying out the orders they receive, the Sikhs may be, public prejudice will ever remain against them, because it is impossible for individuals to command their an attempt to rob, or to commit mirrier. may be checked at its commencement by an intelligent policeman if appealed to But an appeal to a Sikh is useless. He is practically a deaf and dumb man, useful only when his eyes can sid his

The great question therefore so far as the public are concerned is how to replace the Sikha by other than Furopeans, amongst whom, as His Excellency British subjects of good character they higher scale of pay than Asiatics or Africans, with the certainty of being reasons : Hagis individually brave and

tion, of decidedly shrewd proclivities; and not least of allocan stand the climate particularly well. Physically, also, h has seed there of beauty is usually muscular and powerful. He speaks English oddly enough, but with perfect intelligibility and is apt at picking up a smattering of languages. Re wards and praise are to him a stimulant which they fail to be either to mos Asiatican especially Olinese of to dissipated Europeana. Finally, his honesty is superior to that of both those classes In thus writing we are not merely expressing our own opinions but those many in this Colony thoroughly compe tent to form a correct judgment on th matter. There always nivet be in cho peans, a choice of evile. The can see lie in the formation of a force which the superior grades are intelligen Europeans, with a rank and file of Chi nese and Negroes

> by local China papers but by corres pondents in China, by our officials and in Parliament sanguine men will not le "co-operation" of the Chinese Government an telegraphic schemes out here. Company "is about to issue a prospectus and, says the Overland Mail-

The promoters are understood already to authorities at Pekin, and the promise of work. The Navy Department of the United States Government have given instructions | China, accompanied by the good wishes of to their Asiatic squadron to aid, assist, and protect" the undertaking; and similar | ficially connected with him. directions are said to have been issued by the British Admiralty. The French and likewise to co-operate. The enterprise. is added; will be British, European Asiatio, and American in character, and international in interest and protection."

If they have obtained any such pro mise, the promoters may consider themselves fortunate. If the promise carried out, they will be the most fortu nate who ever engaged in China enter prise. We shall believe when we see !

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giving an entertainment, such as has been patronised by the magnates whom names, and from whom, as we learn from contemporary criticisms, he won praise for the talent he exhibited." Abecco has in other parts of the world made himself a favourite by his merits, no only as a tenor vocalist, but as an exqui

ham Street were aroused by a cry of "fire." Several persons immediately ran to the spotbut no traces of fire could be discovered. It was afterwards found that the alarm originated in a Bakery situated next to Messrs Fawcett & Co. s store; the chimney having apparently caught fire and been extinguished. Although nothing was visibut inot linguistically accomplished ble from a roadway there was ample cause manding a view of the premises in question For some minutes a dense cloud of smoke and sparks were issuing from the oven chimnev and a smell of burnt wood was so strongly perceptible that several who did not know the cause of alarm immediately guessed its origin. This is said to be the second time that this bakery has alarmed its neighbours, and on this occasion the vigilance of Inspector Kirby detected the incipient, danger. Although no genera alarm was given, as the Inspector rightly under the circumstances forbade it, the Club aid in moments, of emergency. A fire, Secretary and other members of the brigade were promptly on the spot, fortunately to find that their services were not needed.

Ir has been said that there is frequently only one step between the sublime and the apply this maxim to the case below. There may not be anything sublime in the composition of an inspector of police; while, from i.e., if he be at the head of anything), frecombine all the good qualities which it rather insignificant importance, which are

the young defendant, and said if he were having denied all about the throwing over idea of the durbar will be abandoned. recognized in the dock again, he would be board of the baket, were cautioned by the flogged. The prisoner pattered out of Magistrate, who expressed to them his native princes and chiefs will be invited sailor friend at Aden, "in search of slavers been frustrated in his attempt to signalize without more evidence. He therefore would be likely to cause suffering or incon-

the part of the Giant being taken by the penal servitude for forgery, was brought up Gasette. inspector before mentioned. In the present on a charge of having been found in this swollen state of the police estimates, it is colony, contrary to the conditions of his only reasonable that quality as well as pardon. The conditional pardon was The members of the Brahmo Somaj, or shallows. We made all preparations to prequantity should be forthcoming in feture granted to him in April last, and he was for the remuneration given to each inspect sent to Bombay; but as he has a large themselves, the members of the Theistic and already she had landed fifty of her in Court, as well as the Court officials, could the Macao steamer.—Mr Douglas remark—
not control themselves in view of the ex- ed that there was no doubt that Saffoodeen congregation in the strict sense of the up, and carried her without loss. The But when it is rumored that there are inspectors drawing pay as such who do nothing else but moble deeds similar to that
come to collect his money, and said he did pers may be unprerous and may be unprecous and may described, from one end of the month to not care whether he stayed in Gaol or not, in their attendance, but there is wanting broadside gun with aluga to polish off our the other the step may fairly be taken of so long as he got his money. He could go among them organised union—that spiritual boat at night, and her crew were of ridiculing ac great a burleaque of the duties now and get the money from the men who fellowship which constitutes a congregation Zoorg tribs and bound to fight, with plenty of an inspector of Police.

colonial cournalism, exchanged for the India Asiatic and American Telegraph friend. The souvenir consisted of a very made by the defendant, however, the Ma- already exceeds Rs. 9,000. handsome goblet, with the following insorip: tion :- "Presented to W. C. Howard, as a mark of esteem; by the tidewaiters of the I. M. Customs. Canton. September, 1869. The presentation was made by letter, to which Mr Howard gave a suitable written co-operation in siding and protecting the reply. Mr Howard has been ordered to to an alarm of fire in Wyndiam Street, No. Chefoo, for which port he sails per steamer 5, from which house, he said, a volume of should have adopted the custom of the all who have been either officially or unof-

> on Saturday last, the 18th just, one of the boiler tubes of the Kinshan burst, by which accident one of the firemen was so badly soorobed that he is not expected to live. Some of the deck passengers were hurt. chines. Being of a scientific turn of mind and a Chinese scholar, he is likely to keep to the windward of other importers. use of ploughing machines is said now occupy the attention and time of the reverend speculator in machines. Our German friends have not been so wide awake to import sewing machines as they were to import magenta dye. But large orders for them are, however, now said to have gone

His Excellency Sony Ling paid a compli mentary visit to Baron R. Von Carlowitz, the Cousul for the North German Confede racy, on Tuesday afternoon. The respected Baron leaves this abortly, homeward boun The North German barque Apenrade was entered at the Custom House at 10 a.m. on Saturday last, and cleared at 4 p.m. same day, with 1115 rolls matting and packages sundries on-board, whilst-anchored at a distance of 12 miles from the Castom-This is an infallible proof of the "firing-away" style of the Canton "fellahs." The Apenrade took no fans for New

Mr Ward Prestage, valuator of the Police

and Lighting Rates, appeared to complain

TO DAY'S POLICE.

against the master of the Hing Loong shop false returns respecting three houses in that | War, in place of Marshal Niel, deceased. street. The annual rentals of the three tenements were returned as \$336, \$300. turns were solicited from the tenants themselves, and the sums given were \$360, \$432, and \$480 per annum. Defendant explained that he was under the impression that the present -The occupiers of the buildings in question were called, and they gave corroborative evidence of the defendant's valuator) stated that great trouble might accepting the treaty with America. arise if this sort of thing were passed over. ridiculous; but it might be invidious to The valuation return here given was much too small, considering the fact that the to 136g, consequent upon a report that the property in Jervois Street always stood stock of bar gold has been overstated. The respect to the law, it would be a pity to dant was not more than would be got for speculation special There is a statement render even the smaller authorities open houses in Taipingshan; -Mr May remarked of a heavy fall on Saturday, the 4th, in the to contempt and ridicule. At times, how- that he was very glad to hear that Chinese French funds, after the Bourse had closed. the Governor truly observed, honesty and ever, an element of the grotesque will enter property was so steadily maintaining its At a meeting of Policy holders in the Governor of Mindanao of the young Sultan into the proceedings of the Magistrates' position; but he had the statement of Albert Life Insurance Company, the pro- of Sulu with the emblems of sovereignty downstairs, and said that Mr Gripnell had Court; and generally in proportion as those defendant supported by the three occu- posal for a reconstruction was generally concerned fail to realize the real duties of pants, and they would see that the reduc- condemned. and disadvantages of employing various the office of constable. Mr May was placed tion of the rental would be carried into Persistent and disconraging rumours of races, we arrive at the conclusion that in a somewhat delicate "fix" this morning, effect. He would remand the case at pre Napole n's health are being circulated Negroes combine in the highest degree in the disposal of a case illustrative of what sent, and give the valuators an opport though the Emperor presided in the the precise qualities requisite. Let us we have remarked above. A pertain in tunity of showing that defendant had not Council of Ministers this forencon.

compare the varieties of race to which spector who is said to be at the head of the given in the return in good faith. Deperambulatory; or peripatetic department fendant was then remanded for one week. | shandoned her veyage to the Rast, although Two Chinese boat-boys were charged no order to that effect has yet been publishquently appears in Court with cases of with hawking spirits in the harbor. Mr ed-Press. E. Gardner, master of the British barque. is possible to obtain with the restrictive markedly suggestive of the story of Gulliver | Pelham, said that some of his seamen had disadvantage of cost. Low class Eng. and the Liliputians. One of these cases lately got drunk and had to go to Gaol 1 lishmen or foreigners again, require a were before the Magistrate to day. Chun and he was consequently on the watch to rumour floating about for a while about the English. Of his views and character a suf-Asing is a boy of eleven years of age, his see from whom the bound outemplated durbar at Agra in honor of ficient notion may be drawn from the folbead was a long way under the top of the on board. Several boats came near the the Duke of Edinburgh, that it is a relief lowing conversation :- M. Plauchut asked dock rail, and his two eyes glinted surprist ship before he had time to get his boat to be able to refer to some pucka official him if he was married. "Not yet," he open to bribes drunken, and wanting in edly through between the said rails. The ready and he pointed after the first one information about the present intentions of replied coolly; "but of course I have my witness not hearing or seeing anything of discretion. They make good soldiers fiery haired peripatetic of 6 feet odd strided he could come across. It pulled away, and the Government of India with regard to it. harem according to the usage of the counbecause they are not left to act on their on to the witness-box, after having laid out he gave chase; but just when he was over. That Government some time ago adopted a try. My mother is a half-sister of the Sol. balcony, the thought flashed across his own unsided judgment, while they have the little cloth, dice, cash and other damn- hanling them, the defendants threw over- good system of furnishing the press, through tan, and having royal blood in my veins mind that he had fallen out. He looked the minor but necessary virtues of pluck ing evidences of guiltiness in the matter of board a basket containing, as he presumed, its different departments, with precis of I am entitled to expose a princess. Such out of the window and then ran downstairs and capacity to learn. Chinese, already the accusation. The stalwart Persubulator liquor for the amply of the accusation. The stalwart Persubulator liquor for the samen. In intelligence that does not find its way into an alliance will further my ambition, and said found the body lying under the window. largely employed, have many good qualities. They are as a rule sobet, plucky, and obedient, but are naturally open to bribery, and having no principle whatever bribery and the settlement of these communications, one day perhaps you will hear that the Sultant naturally one day perha Of other Asiatics we have only a choice It is the habitual habit of the boatmen to of sale, because he had the power of certain that the Vicercy will hold a dur. As soon as I am formally ad ly after 2 o'clock, and found deceased quite the English speaking but wheedling, about, when he was caught. The Magistrate absence of evidence.—The Captain remarks the next harvest, whether the durbar of Spain, notwithstanding my relationship an opinion that the window was in an unindividually cowardly and untrustword remarked that the inspector had certainly ed that this illegal hawking of spirits was be held or not. Hitherto no preparations to him, his reign will not be long." We safe condition and required protection. thy type of Bengales or Madrasses get hold of the minnow among gamblers, the cause of more disturbances in the have been made, nor will they, under any are obliged to confess to the disadvantage. At the request of Sir J. Burgoyne, their Our choice would therefore lie with the and asked if the little boy's mother was bor than everything else but together circumstances that now appear probable, of our countryman, that the general ha foreman, they expressed, on behalf of the West Indian negro, for the following in Court i no relation of the boy's, how -bir May said that it be commenced until the middle of October, tred of the Suin people for Spain, on ever, was found to respond. Mr May, was so, and he regretted very much that The distress in Rajpootana and in Gwallor which he counts for his elevation, is due therefore, asked the little cash-scrambler evidence had not been obtained on this is at the present time very great, and even chiefly to this Power's energetic efforts to strikingly alive to the disgrace of cow whether or not he knew that the street occasion; he would only be too glad to in some of our own districts there is cause suppress the piracy which has long been ardice. He has a feeling of honor the gambler was a rogue and vagabond; when have another visit from Captain Gardner, for auxiety. Unless a marked improve- the staple occupation of that pleasant archi-Enown to Asiatics i is satisfied with less the little fellow replied that he did, but as if sale could be proven. By buying it on ment should take place in the condition of pelago-t'ionest.

gistrate at once decided that the case should be treated as no more than a refusal to pay chair-hire. Defendant evidently did not know the dollar was a counterfeit; and he would kimply reimburse the coolie.

Inspector Kirby drew Mr May's attention | be provided with seats in the ladies galsmoke was issuing. This had arisen from segregation of the sexes, just at the time French baker's oven, and he observed specting the place and otherwise making gallery will be set apart for the choir. inquiries into the matter, Mr May ob- temple boasts a spleudid harmonium. It is stated that during her upward trip served that it was fortunate that the fire may expect to see the example set did not come to anything, and proceeded Calcutta followed by the many groups with the business of the Court.

Apostolato Spiro and Nicolo Paulo, the Bengal. The opening of the new A reverend gentleman is stated to be murder near Shanghai, were brought up coining money by the sale of aswing ma- and further remanded for a week, pending advices from Shanghai.

A case of piracy, committed in June last, was also remanded, one of the prisoners in | man. which has been in Hospital for nearly three months.

REUTER'S LATE TELEGRAMS. LONDON, 3rd September, 1869.

The Viceroy of Egypt has returned conciliatory, explanatory, and justificatory. reply to the Grand Vizier, concluding with ample assurances of loyalty towards the Sultan, to which the Grand Vizier has sent a reply from the Spltan, stating that the Sultan accepts the Viceroy's explanation, but demands that the Vicerov shall not increase the Egyptian Army or Navy, nor ontract loans in Europe without the sancof the Imperial Government, and orther that the Viceroy shall render an annual account of the financial condition of his province. The matter is thus consider-

French Senate: on senatus consultum. when Prince Napoleon demanded further concessions in an animated speech, which Segur Laquessian (? Signor Gressier) characteriz- something better than the surrender value

The same paper also states that the Emperor holds quite aloof from the discussion

which has arisen between Austria and Prusrental for next year was what was wanted; Latest telegraphic advices from Spain an- three years, to apply to the Board of Trade at Cowes. He had seen him about three and as he had notified to his tenants that nounce that the Carlist bands have been he meant to reduce their reuts, the next suppressed, and that Don Carlos had emyears rental was of course less than the barked for England. General Prim has

Sujour (sic) has been elected for Antrim, Mr. Burlingamo has received a telegram statement. -Mr. Horden (who is also a from the Chinese Government, thankfully since Office as Mr. Gladstone proposed to do and the deceased left the club together

London, 5th September (Afternoon) The price of Gold in New York has risen high : and the rental now given by defen- controller has ordered the banks to make is not unlikely to be repeated in the same

Le Public says that the Empress has

THE PRINCE'S DURMAR

during his sojourn at that place as tide given change of 75 cents to the defendant Somaj, where for the future, services will end of November next "- Delhi Gasette. which neverally strend the conditions of A new association entitled the OFast surveyor and their regard for him as a From the clear, straightforward statement be held regularly. The building fund

"Ladies anxious to attend service regularly will," we are told, "on application to the minister be furnished with cards of admission to be shown by their attendants at the foot of the staircase, and wil lery." It is strange that the new when the Armenians are beginning to relax their rules in this respect. The northern Brahmos scattered throughout two men who are in custody charged with is noteworthy as an attempt to give the having committed the crimes of piracy and sect the status and dignity of a native church. It will form a turning point in the history of the Brahmos, a point from which their divergence from Hindooism must become more and more marked, - English

THE ALBERT ASSURANCE COM-

The liquidation of the Albert Life Assurance Company affects 4000 Anglo-Indiau insurers, and that in the cruellest way. less than £270,000 is said to have been sent home from the Indian Branches to the office, and there are still assets in Calcutta to the amount of £100,000 over which the local policy-holders have power. The committee of enquiry, which had been attempting for some time before tle crash to obtain information, has asked Mesers, Bell and Newmarch, in London. to act as counsel on their behalf, and look to the policy-holders to share the expense with them. The prospect is certain somewhat liopeless, but the cannot do better than act together. A debate commenced yesterday in the is still £330,000 of capital not paid up, and we have yet to learn where the enormous profits of the Indian Branches have It is possible that insurers may obtain of their policies. But the Albert repre-The health of the Emperor Napoleon is sents no fewer than twenty extinct companies, and it is evident that no company opposition offered to Mr Cave's very loose Bill, which proposes no remedy more effec-

> for the working-classes. - Friend of India. THE SULU SULTAN.

According to a writer in the Revue des

Deux Mondes the exploit of Rajah Brooke

seas, and this time also by an Englishman.

M. Plauchut describes, as an eye witness.

the ceremony of investiture by the Spanish

over the archipelago of that name. Among | fallen out of the window. He immediately the nobles of Sulu assembled around the went to the spot, and assisted in carry. young Prince was one strongly distinguish. ing the body upstairs. Blood was streamed from the rest by his red hair and a ling from the back of the head. A medical physionomis Britanni me: It appears this man was sent for immediately, and Dr personage with whom M. Plauchut held Ollard came. The deceased was quite subsequently a remarkable conversation, is named Dickson. He is the son of an Eug. - Mr. Sheppard Homans, of New York, hishman long ago settled in Sulu, where he married a princess nearly allied to the He added that after Mr. Bennett went Severeign Young Dickson was sent to downstairs the deceased had an impression Europe for bia education, and speaks There has been so much vague uppertain French and Spanish as well as he does the yachtamen, their sorrow at the pho-

CAPTURE OF A SLAVER WITH 238 SLAVES

Court, and the huge Inspector swung off, moral conviction that they were guilty, to attend, whose progress through the principally. Our boats away up and down evidently under the impression that he had though he sould not out up their boat country with a large number of followers the coast and bays mixty miles distant, and himself by extraordinary real in the public ordered them to find security in \$25 each remove to the people. There has been a clavers) in sight, Tit-dhows were stopped rupour that the durbar would take place and boarded, and I began to despair of ever Saffoodeen, the Hindoo who was sen- at Lucknow, but this is considered by good: taking a slaver again. (Le a dhow laden with above illustrated has been personated before; tended in October 1866 to three years authorities even less probable, Bombay shaves) when on the 26th May at 1 ? May our cutter went after a fellow, which with tory and that even in a corpus of over six amount of money (some \$800 or \$900) out. Church of India, have, after an existence crew and slaves; this was a fatal mistake feeti a certain amount of discretion and standing in this Colony, the attraction was of nearly forty years, come to the concluthey made, the cutter was upon them alcommon sense should be hooksionally too great, and he returned some time since. sion that it is necessary, for the well-being most instantly; turning one of the coves discernible. Even the inspectors present He was caught this forenoon coming from of the sect, that each Somaj should partake she made a dash at the dhow without the hibition of this morning, and the gravity (who was a cunning fellow) well under- term. The need is thus expressed in the Arabs on shore began firing behind rocks, of those present was generally broken up. stood the terms of the pardon, as they were organ of the sect—"There is nothing like a but it was too late, their forces were divicome to collect his money, and said he did pers may be numerous and perhaps regular slaves, a tremendous hand. She had a owed: By His Worship's directions, this in the strict sense of the term. The want of ball cartridge; she fell an easy proy and offer was tested, and the case was remand- here expressed has been generally felt. In it has considerably rejoiced all hands after MR. W. C. Howard, one of the tide mur- ed until the 27th. Calcutta, the leader of the Brahmos, Baboo | the hard work we had and under which veyors lot Canton, was on Tuesday even- George Hanker, second officer of the N. Keehub Chender Sen, has determined to we were all rapidly getting played out. I ing the recipient of a very handsome-testi- G. ship Java, was charged with having remedy what he feels to be a source of am now on my road to Aden to land our monial from the officers of the out-door attered a counterfeit dollar, well knowing weakness, and perhaps, division to his dark friends; from there we go to Serstaff at that port, as a token of their appre- the same to have been a bad dollar. Com- followers. For this purpose he has built challes, then to Zanzibar, the Mosambique, ciation of his bushy kindnesses to them plainant was all chair cooling and he had in Muchoos Bazuar Road a temple for the and will be (U. V.) at Bombay about the

THE CRACOW NUN

The sister of the imprisoned nun, Barbara Ubryk, who is still living at Warsaw has communicated to a Polish paper (the Daily Courier) some further particulars of her history. It appears from her statement that her parents were small lander proprietors, and that they died young eaving four daughters. Of these Annal afterwards named Barbara, was brought up by her aunt, and afterwards sent to the chool of the Order of the Visitation Here she became ill, upon which she was taken by the Countees Dsiewanowska into her house. As soon as her health began to improve she again begged to be taken to the Convent of the Visitation, but she was efused admission. She then obtained an introduction to the Carmelite Convent at Cracow, and since then her family heard nothing more of her, except that she had become insune and was well treated. In one of the letters sent to Eleanor Ubryk (Barbara's sister) by the abbess of the convent, that lady thus expresses herself :-The news which you received about the illness of your sister is correct. She has been suffering from a severe mental disorder for the last three years, and is subject to very violent fits. If you lament her unfortunate position, we do so even more. We have to pay a great deal for her medical treatment, and are in constant fear of her. It is very painful to us that, as the physicians say, she must have suffered rom this illness before, and we were never told of it; for if we had known it, she would not have been admitted to our convent. You may be quite at ease as to the treatment of your sister; we do her no harm, and she would be unhappy if she were anywhere else. The convent is great protection to her, though God has made her a great and heavy cross to us. l'his letter is dated August 11, 1851.

An inquest was held on Tuesday at Ryde, before Mr Blake, the coroner for the Isle of Wight, on the body of Mr Cornelius Lebosuf, who was General in the Artillery would amalgamate with another if it were York, who had come to England for the in Jervois Street, in that he had given in the Crimea, is named as the Minister for sound enough to stand alone. A Parlia purpose of taking part in the regattas. At mentary Return shows that in the twenty- Cowes the deceased had purchased the Le Public states that Prince Napoleon four years since 1844 no fewer than 196 steam-yacht Howk, of 142 tons, and he was will meet the Emperor at the opening of the insurance offices have been absorbed or died recently elected a member of the Royal and 1336; but as they were doubted, re- Sucz Canal, proceeding afterwards to India. out. A more significant circumstance is the Victoria Yacht Club. The following evidence was given at the inquest.

Mr James Gordon Bennett, owner of the tual than that of giving power to any twenty | yacht Dauntless; said he had known the persons assured for at least £20,000 during deceased about ten days, since his arrival for an examination into the affairs of their | years ago in New York. He believed the company. It is important for all sound deceased lived in London, but he did not companies, no less than for the public, know his age. On the previous night he that the control of the State should be dined with the deceased, who was lodging strict. The only other alternative is, that at 35, Pier-street, at the Royal Victoria Government should itself open an Insur- Yacht Club. The witness, Mr Homans, about 12 o'clock. As they had no rooms. the deceased offered to allow the witness and Mr Homans to sleep in his sittingroom. They all three went upstairs together. In a few minutes witness went downstairs, leaving Mr Homans and deceased upstairs. When he got to the front door he saw a body lying partly on the pavement and partly in the road. Mr Homans and the witness's servant ran sober when the witness left the room, 7 corroborated the evidence of Mr. Bennett. that Mr. Bennett was going to look for another room rather than intrude on his kindness, and he said. "I will see : I will get out on the balcony." He then drew up the Venetian blinds, opened the window, him, looked out of the window, " Seeing no

cannot be trusted to any great extent, and I succeeded in capturing the prisoner, regretted that there was no direct evidence has been informed that it is by no means Spanish supremacy; but I must prove it in Dr. Ollard said that he was sent for shorts. between the brave and obedient but nonEnglish or Chinese speaking Sikh, and to get some of the cash that was rolling boats, while he country towards the close of sists in keeping us under the detested yoke whole British community, and especially of

> Way is a parish bell like good story |--Because it is often toll'd.

ward accident to one of their vinitors.

had at moderate terms. Hennessy's BRANDY, in cases. Hongkong, June 12, 1869. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board, 17 NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's | NR RLOOR of a house in Queen's WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr. Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866. ANILA HARD WOOD. Hongkong, August 11, 1868. FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED NGLISH and Anglo German UON-L'CERTINAS, HARMONIUMS VIOLINS and VIOLIN STRINGS FLUTES, New MUSIC, &c. &c. Planofortes tuned and repaired.

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C. WAGNER.

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LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 23, 1869.

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Hongkong, March 6, 1868. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

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Hongkong, September 28, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. 1 HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against

Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings. or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

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Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding ten days & of the annual rate. Not exceeding 1 month, + Above 1 month and not exceeding 3,... Above 3 months and

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> THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament,

ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000

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MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

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Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

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MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Hongkong, November 7, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO

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PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Secretaries.

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RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

Macao, August 4, 1866. DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

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Hongkong, August 1, 1866,

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but the First-Class now are) to the same

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2.—No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny. 3.-Orders drawn in the United Kingdem upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at

the time of their presentation. 4.—Alphabetical) Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United King. Freight to United States payable in ad- dom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai

5 .- Applicants for Money Orders must For further information, apply at the furnish in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian mame, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ormere term Mesars., such as "Mesars. Rivington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such | densed from the following. for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the

as " Carron Co." is inadmissible. Office will be open for the reception of der is to be paid only through a Bank, to Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registra- have the option of giving or withdrawing tion. Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 the name of the Payee in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that do, may be posted in the night box Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.
7.—When an Order is presented through
a Bank, a receipt by any person will be suf-

from 8 r. m. on the 29th September until All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 30th September will be charge, ficient, provided the Order be crossed with able, in addition to the usual postage, the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in The latest time for posting Letters at this the employ of such Bank. Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers.

8. The signature of the Payee of a Mo-Books, or Patterns 7 a.m. on the 30th new Order to be affixed to the Order in the Rurther, late letters (but Letters only) ad Payee be unable to write he must sign the dressed to the United Kingdom vid rectipi by making his mark in the presence Murseilles or to Singapore, may be of w Witness, who must sign his name, with posted on board the Packet from 8.301 his address in the presence of the Officer to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late feet who pays the Order,

Post-Office Notifications.

9. -Should the Payee of a Money Order Leaire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was oriof Box Holders will be received at the ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the window set apart for the purpose, on ostmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be tagued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of

the new Order

10. - In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and socompanied by an addi tional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11.—On the receipt of a similar applica? tion, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order Lansed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payer should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chie Money Order Office of such Country. This the Proclamation of the 22nd January, application must be accompanied by an 1864, and no other Coins, but those additional Commission, unless it have retherein specified will either be received ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the or given in change as fractional parts Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

> 13.—Repayment whether of an original. or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been scertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14. - Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July dtherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Comhission, to be deducted from the amount f the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, - for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Monay will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order W. LEMANN, Esq. was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If s wrong payment, however, be made owing G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., R.N. to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see lit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17 .- No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18. -Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better work ing of the system generally will be made

as occasion may require. 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others either in the United Kingdom or at Hongwarded via Southampton, and kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command, F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868. CHAIR AND BOAT HIRE The following Regulations for Street Chairs and Chair-Coolies, bear date Colo-

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There are two Classes of Street Chairs, ment, Ordinary and Special All Street-Chairs may carry persons who have engaged them up to any hour, but Ordinary Chairs may not ply for hire after

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## PORT OF SWATOW

GENERAL REGULATION I

1. Bye-Laws and Local Rules. 1.—Bye-Laws and Rules necessary for the better ordering of pilotage matters at the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls and Chamber of Commerce, with whon also it rests in the same way to fix the number of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground. 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port of

Swatow, shall be six. 3.—The Pilotage ground for the Port Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower 11a limit of the anchorage habebio Point, 4. -The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sized vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing vessels, \$2.50 per foot English measurement. To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberthing, 50 cents per foot English messurement

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilota Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of China, and without distinction of nationality, be has guppowder; or other combustibles on eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued, and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively.

GENERAL REGULATION III. III. Board of Appointment, how to be

The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master as President, or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and published by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Censuls and Chambers

GENERAL REGULATION IV.

Vacancies: how to be filled up. 1.-Whenever there may be a vacancy amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified in the local prints ; and eight days afterwards the Board of Appointment shall proceed fill it up by a competitive examination. 2.—The Board may refuse to admit the examination any one who, having one

been a Liceused Pilot, has had his Licen withdrawn, and also any candidate who i unable to procure Consular Certificates to Character, &c. 3.—The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given to the most competent among the candi

dates without distinction of nationality provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute. 4.-The Consul concerned may in person, or by deputy, be present and take part in

the examination of candidates. o. The majority of the votes of the members of the Board shall dooide the admission of candidates, for Pilots' Li censes, each member having one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consul concerned the Harbour Master shall have casting vote:

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses; by whom to be issued Commissioner of Customs in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government; censes issued to Pilots not being natives of China shall subsequently be vised and

registered at the Consulate concerned. .2-Every Licensed Pilot shall be given a printed copy of the General Regulation and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his Liceuse when required. 3 .- On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the aum of Ten Haikwan

Taels for the renewal of his License. GENERAL REQUESTION VI. Apprentice Pilots; how to be taken. 1. —it shall be allowable for each Licensed Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application of Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Ap-

prentices with special certificates. 2. When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act tempora-(From the "Friend of India," June 4. 1808. rily and within certain limits, as Pilots provided they have received certificates of to competency from the Board of Appoint

GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilots ; to whom subordinuted.

Unlicensed Piloting, &c. I.-Licensed Pilots may early on their business either singly or in Companies. They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master, under whose order and control they are placed, and who is invested with power to suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is a ental antiquities. It deserves to be better Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within known in India; three days. 2 .- If guilty of any misconduct for which

Consular punishment has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence against Bevenue Laws, the individual concerned may be suspended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, tl appeal to be lodged within three days. 3.—Any one piloting without a Licens. shall be subject to prosecution before own authorities, who will deal with offender in accordance with the Laws of Country. Any Pilot lending his License another will be proceeded against and deal

with in the same way, in addition to forfeiting his License. 4 -- Any Commanding Officer employingan uniformed person to pilot his will be liable to be fined in the sum of One Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose urisdiction he is amenable.

GENERAL REGULATION VIII. Pilot Boats: Regulations to be observed. 1.-Pilot Boats shall be registered with their crews at the Harbour Master's Office; the exception of the Cyclical Table of where each boat will be given a certificate and number. The words "Licensed Pilot Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly Morrison, and afterwards republished with painted at the stern, and on the head of the they shall be at liberty to move freely and limits, which will be found particularly within the limits of the Port and Pilotage interesting as throwing a considerable light dues. On the requisition of the Harbour still comparatively, unknown to Europeans,

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Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employes belonging to either Customs or Harbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or Light-ships.

2. Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year. 3.-In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mus-

4.—The owner or hirer of any um egistered Boat making use of a Pilot blag, and not having a Licensed't ilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.-A registered I ilot Loat is not permitted to fly the Filot Flag, saye when there. is either a Licensed Filot or certificated Apprentice on board.

GENERAL REQUESTION IX. Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot

shall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3); if the ressel is from Hongkong, Japan, or ally Chinese Port. A Blue and White Flag (No. 2) if from

any Foreign Port. A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the ressel A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel

GENERAL REGULATION X Harbour Pilots: Vessels in Harbour

Berthing, de. 1.-The duties of the Harbour Pilot where such exists, will be to take charge of vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage. berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting berth, going in and out of dock, or to and from a whart or out of the auchorage, and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river.

or harbour. 2.—In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Ufficers and Consignees; and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them, shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with. 3.-Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Barbour Master, and they are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission.

4.—The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable o the Harbour Master are as follows :-Shifting a vessel's borth ; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk | \$10; in

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND

QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN." EXTRACTS FROM BEVILWS.

From the "Strasts Times," July 27, 1868. Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the I ress had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the leceipt of a Bongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have 1.—Pilota' Licenses shall be issued by the much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on China and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs, of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The nublication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of Chi and Japan " are so well known. Kronames attached to the "Notes" we that the contributors include some best Chinese scholars in the East. terest is not confined to China, and be of valuable assistance to all scholar. have directed their attention towards subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in ori-(From the "London Examiner," May 16, 1868.)

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in Chinaand Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. \* \* \*

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public built dings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns, A complete and intelligible plan of the Ime perial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of

its divisions, streets, and places. In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found with remarks on its government, geography,

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Rifleman	British	surveying ship	486	3	2 a 1	In ordinary
Rodney	British	line of battle	2776	32.	100	A. C. Heneage
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